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ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISS

UTILITY COMPLAINT FORM
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Investigator: Sheila Stoeller

Phone: 602-542-4143

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Opinion No. 2011 - 99290

Date: 9/21/2011

Complaint Description: 08G Consolidation - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

First:

Last:

Complaint By: **Robert E.**

Welch

Account Name: Robert E. Welch

Home

Street:

Work:

City: Anthem

CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85086

is: E-Mail

Utility Company. **Arizona - American Sewer Company**

Division: sewer

Contact Name: Karl Wilkins

Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

Please approve deconsolidation of the Anthem/Agua Fria wastewater district.

As Anthem residents are, in effect, paying for another district's wastewater removal, it is not only unfair, but illegal to charge us for the services rendered another.

Thank you for your consideration.

Rob

Robert E. Welch

9/27--rec'd additional info from Mr. Welch:

Dear Commissioners,

Please approve deconsolidation of the Anthem/Agua Fria wastewater district.

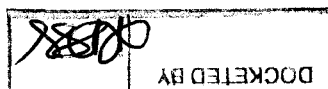
As Anthem has its own wastewater system, and it's wastewater system has no physical connection to the Agua Fria system, Anthem residents are, in effect, paying for another district's wastewater removal. This is not only unfair, but illegal to charge us for the services rendered another.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Veronica & Robert E. Welch

End of Complaint



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Arizona Corporation Commission

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Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

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End of Comments

Date Completed: 9/27/2011

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Fax:

Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2011 - 99497

Date: 9/27/2011

Complaint Description: 08G Consolidation - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

First:

Last:

Complaint By: **Pete & Vicki Andersen**

Account Name: Pete & Vicki Andersen

Home: (000) 000-0000

Street:

Work:

City: Anthem

CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85086

is: E-Mail

Utility Company. **Arizona - American Sewer Company**

Division: sewer

Contact Name: Karl Wilkins

Contact Phone.

Nature of Complaint:

Deconsolidation of the Anthem/Agua Fria Wastewater District

I am writing in support of deconsolidation of the Anthem/Agua Fria Wastewater District operated by Arizona American Water Company (AAWC). I strongly believe that Anthem customers should pay for the treatment plants, facilities, and infrastructure that serve our community. As Anthem residents we pay for a state of the art wastewater treatment facility; why should we also be paying for the costs of facilities that we do not use and will never use? Anthem's system has no physical connection to the Agua Fria system - we should not pay for what is not "used and useful" by Anthem residents!"

I understand that deconsolidation will result in increased rates for Agua Fria customers. I also understand that the Anthem Community Council has proposed a phase-in of the rates, similar to what we experienced in the recent water rate case, as a means of softening the impact. I support this phase- in as a means of mitigating the effect of the rate increase through a 3-year phase-in of the rates.

The bottom line is that deconsolidation of the Anthem/Agua Fria wastewater district is the right thing to do under the current model for private water/wastewater systems in Arizona. It returns our service to what is "just and reasonable." To not deconsolidate is to go against the principles that the Commission has advocated and would result in different and unfair treatment for Anthem ratepayers.

Deconsolidation is consistent with the stand alone, cost of service systems owned and operated by AAWC throughout the state, and creates an even playing field. To delay until consolidation is considered is unfair; statewide consolidation has not occurred to date, and may or may not occur at an unknown time in the future. The time to correct this disparity is NOW by approving deconsolidation of the Anthem/Agua Fria wastewater district as put forth by the AAWC in their April 1 filing.

I urge you and your fellow Commissioners to right this wrong, and deconsolidate the Anthem/Agua Fria wastewater district.

End of Complaint

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Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

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End of Comments

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Investigator: Sheila Stoeller

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Fax:

Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2011 - 99508

Date: 9/28/2011

Complaint Description: 08G Consolidation - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

First:

Last:

Complaint By:

Marsha

Call

Account Name:

Marsha Call

Home: (000) 000-0000

Street:

Work:

City:

Anthem

CBR: n

State:

AZ

Zip: 85086

is: E-Mail

Utility Company.

Arizona - American Sewer Company

Division:

sewer

Contact Name:

Karl Wilkins

Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

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Respectfully,

ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
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Marsha Call
Resident
End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

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Investigator: Sheila Stoeller

Phone: 602-542-4143

Fax:

Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2011 - 99509

Date: 9/28/2011

Complaint Description: 08G Consolidation - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

Complaint By: First: Last:
Ken Hilde

Account Name: Ken Hilde

Home: (000) 000-0000

Street:

Work:

City: Anthem

CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85086

is: E-Mail

Utility Company: Arizona - American Sewer Company

Division: sewer

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Contact Phone:

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Ken Hilde

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